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Note: Read the following passage and give it a suitable Title, and make its Precis.

It is pertinent to point out that the civil service is not like the military where the orders from one's senior just cannot be denied. Civil service as an institution is supposed to give respect to the good judgment of each officer. They can differ from their boss and are even encouraged to put such a difference of opinion in writing. They can raise red flags and even choose to be whistle-blowers but what keeps them from doing any of this? Maslow's hierarchy of needs puts physiological needs at the very base of the pyramid and then come safety and security needs. For our poor civil servant both these needs are highly endangered throughout their careers. They live from pay check to pay check, hence cannot think of life beyond their job and will do anything to protect it. Regarding safety and security, they see what happened to even the senior most civil servants when they refused to comply with the orders of powerful quarters. The principal secretary to the prime minister is at the pinnacle of the bureaucracy, and in recent years those occupying the post have been the ones who were either jailed or simply abducted till they were ready to speak the 'truth' that they were told. Under such circumstances, how can we expect an assistant commissioner to take a stand? The so-called confession of facilitating election rigging by the former commissioner is so flimsy that in due course of time a thorough investigation would reveal that what he was saying did not have merit. A seasoned civil servant would not be so naïve as to name the chief justice when the latter cannot possibly influence the results on the Election Day.

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Positive prospects

→ worsening conditions in country

Usama Hyder Brohi

precis

Beaurocracy behind the bars

Though civil service is not like a military where judgments of juniors are being denied by the seniors. Safety and security are on the top priority for civil servants, as he is on the peak to encounter both.

Civil servants are not only on this spearhead but also their seniors, such as secretary of prime minister, the postment of civil servants, also being deprived of their powers by powerful entities. And these consequences lead towards uncertainty among the civil servants and public.

The confession of rigging elections by the former commissioner, raised everybody's eyebrows on the independency of institution.

- * An experienced civil servant have to given powers so that he can without any interference unless its powers.